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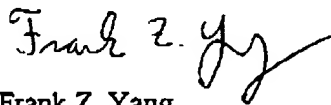
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TITLE: ENDOLUMINAL STENT, SELF-SUPPORTING ENDOLUMINAL GRAFT
AND METHODS OF MAKING SAME

CHANGE OF ENTITY STATUS

Dear Sir:

The status of the patentee in the above-referenced patent has changed. Patentee is no longer entitled to a small entity status.

Respectfully submitted,



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